(3) Under consideration of Government. The question of allotment of one lakh of rupees for Co-operative Banks will be reconsidered.

(4) May be represented to the Malnad Improvement District Committee.

(5) Is being done.

(6) Is being done.

(7) The District Health Officer will investigate the question with the co-operation of the people.

(8) The question of grant of one lakh of rupees for loans to Co-operative Societies in malnad will be reconsidered.

SUBJECT No. 192.

Encouragement to *Pandits* and *Hakims*.

Mr. C. Ramachandra V. Rao, Chikmagalur Municipality.

*Summary of discussion.*—The status of *Pandits* and *Hakims* who pass out from the Mysore Ayurvedic College may be recognised as similar to that of Sub-Assistant Surgeons. Their services may be made pensionable as they are also paid from State Funds, and they may be given progressive scales up to a maximum of not lower than that of Assistant Surgeons.

*Reply of Government.*—The whole question is being examined by a Committee.

SUBJECT No. 193.

Native Vaidyasalas.

Mr. A. Ananthiah, Nagar Sabha.

*Note.*—Not taken up for discussion.

SUBJECT No. 194.

Improvements to the Ayurvedic College and an Ayurvedic ward in the Victoria Hospital.

Mr. C. Ramachandra V. Rao, Chikmagalur Municipality.

*Note.*—Not taken up for discussion.

SUBJECT No. 195.

District Sanitary Officers.

Mr. S. R. Balakrishna Rao, Shimoga Taluk.

*Summary of discussion.*—The functions of the District Sanitary Officers are mostly of an advisory character. The Sanitary Department has not got independent funds at its disposal. The department may either be given some funds to carry out its schemes, if any, or the department abolished and the functions amalgamated with those of the District Medical Officers.

Sanitary officers only inspect vaccination work. They are all graduates and may be given funds for carrying out the sanitary work. They are at present only an advisory body. They may be better employed.

*Reply of Government.*—The question is under consideration.

SUBJECT No. 196.

License to Medical Practitioners.

Mr. M. S. Ramachar, Kolar Municipality.

*Note.*—Not taken up for discussion.